

## Owingsville Outlook.

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### How to Handle a Gun.

The first thing you do, when you go out gunning with another boy, is to guard yourself against accident. The best way to do this is to shoot the other boy before he has time to load his gun. Then take both guns to the nearest creek and throw them in. Throw the powder and shot in after them. If you have any matches about your clothes, throw them in also. Then start at once and go home as fast as ever you can. And if you are under 18 years old, the chances are, even with these precautions, that you will get both legs and a section of your back filled to the brim with bird shot before you reach home.

### "How?"

Goodness only knows how, my son; I don't. I have often wondered how it happened, but I never could ascertain. I am not here to advance ingenious theories, but merely to state cold facts, and I know it to be a solid truth that a boy with a single-barreled gun twice as long as himself can manage to shoot himself in than more once than a man with a seven shooter revolver. And am I going to buy you a gun? Yes, I am; sometimes in the long vacation, when time hangs heavily on my hands, and I think I would enjoy entertaining you by picking shot out of your legs with a picket.

"But you will be careful with it?"

So is a woman very careful with an umbrella; my son, and yet science is unable to account for the startling increase of onseyle I man every summer

### The Old Story.

The Philadelphia Times closes an article on the stamping of Presidential candidates as follows: "Since 1872, no Presidential candidate has ventured to initiate the disastrous stamp campaign of Scott, Douglas, Seymour and Greeley. Tilden, than whom none could act or speak more wisely, was stubbornly silent during his memorable campaign of 1876, and Hayes, with feeble ability, had sense enough to imitate him. In 1880, Garfield inclined to air himself on the stump; but he was suppressed early in the contest, after misadventure at Chataqua, and thenceforth he was silent as Hancock, the gallant soldier who fell in the conflict. Blaine is now about to add another to the list of Presidential unfortunates who insist upon singing their own political requies from the stump. He has great skill, ability and eloquence as a campaigner, but he will only multiply his own already great complications in the Western States by his appearance as a party orator, and, unless all past experience is at fault, his campaign on the hustings will be the harbinger of his defeat."

### He Was Captured.

A middle aged man, with what appeared to be a load on his mind, visited the Arctic steamer *Theitis* the other day, and seemed interested in what he saw.

"Say," he said to the officer on deck, "I'd like to go on the next expedition."

"I don't care for that."

"You'd have very little to eat, and you might starve to death."

"That wouldn't be pleasant," observed the visitor.

"I should say not," returned the officer. "And you might be eaten by your comrades."

"Is that so? That would be tough."

"And then," continued the officer, "you wouldn't see your wife for three years, or, possibly longer. You know you can't take her with you."

"Well," returned the old gentleman, after a long pause, "guess you can put my name down on your books. Your last argument captures me." — New York Journal.

### ADVICE TO MOTHERS.

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### Care of Sheep.

The winter care of the flock is where many new sheep men make mistakes. It is no trouble to keep sheep through the summer, but often inexperienced flockmasters lose half their flock in a single winter. The reason of this is either carelessness or ignorance of the sheep. The most successful care of sheep cannot be undertaken without suitable shearing. This is the first and great requisite. There is no use trying to keep a sheep thriving, and at the same time have its wool saturated with water, with the temperature down towards zero. Then, after seeing that you have sufficient shelter for your sheep, the next most important thing is to see that there is an abundant supply of hay and other forage. The hay and fodder must be early cut and put up in the very best condition. With these preliminary preparations a flock of sheep can be wintered safely, cheaply and profitably. With good hay and proper shelter sheep require but little grain. These facts should alone determine every shepherd to provide proper feeding for them as an economic measure.—Stock Farm.



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